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Treatment Demand Data • Service Quality Measures (SQM)
• Community-Based Harm Reduction Services

EASTERN CAPE TREATMENT DATA

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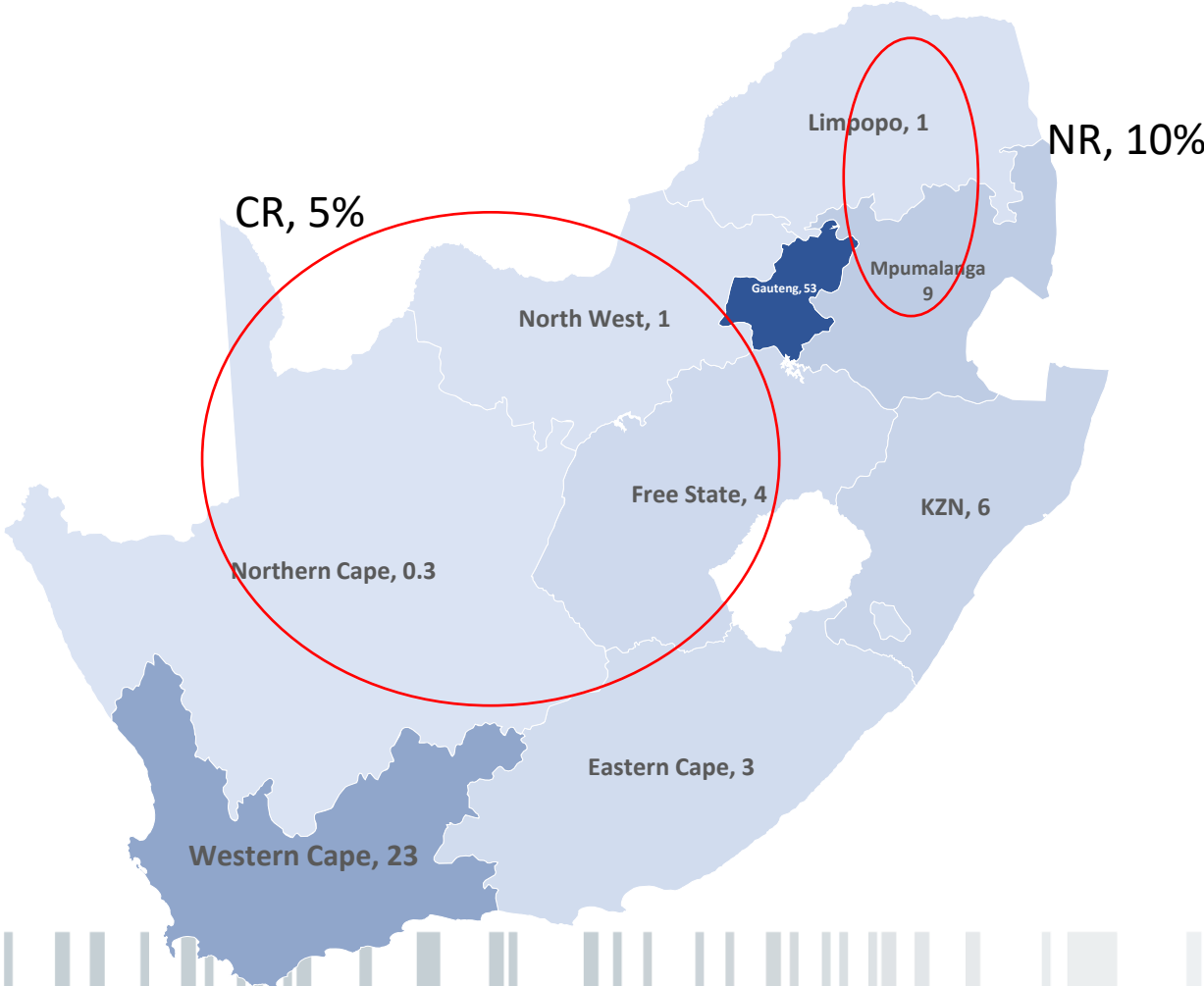
National overview: 2025B



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Percentage (%)



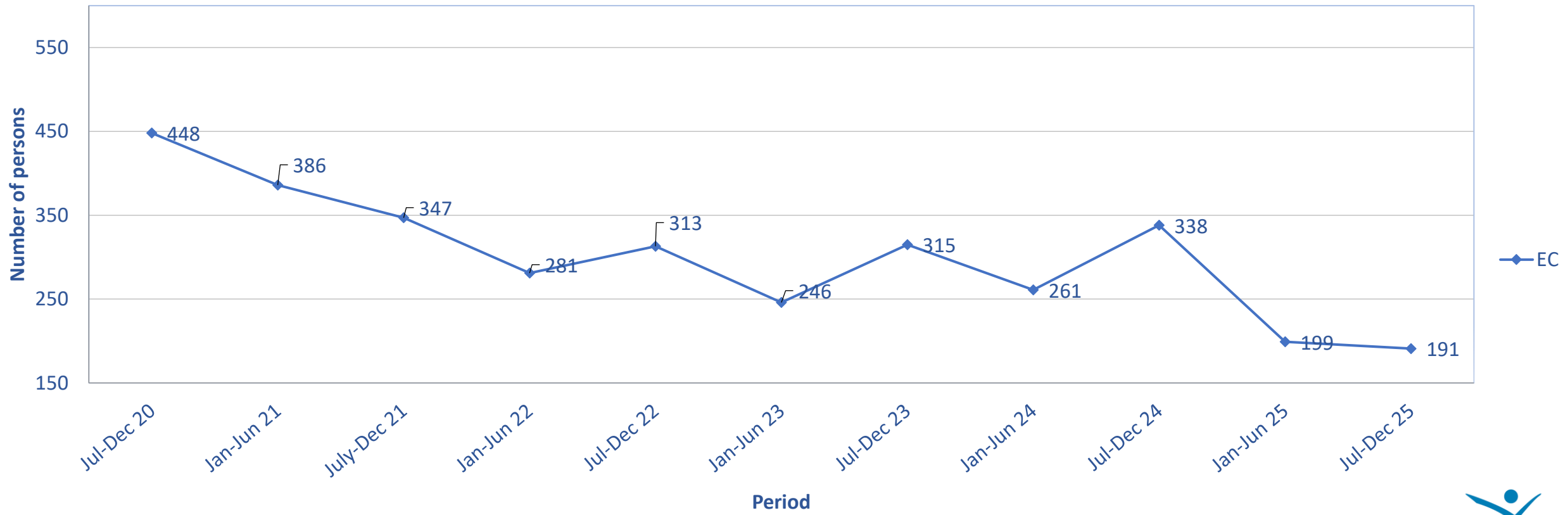


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EC SERVICE USERS IN TREATMENT





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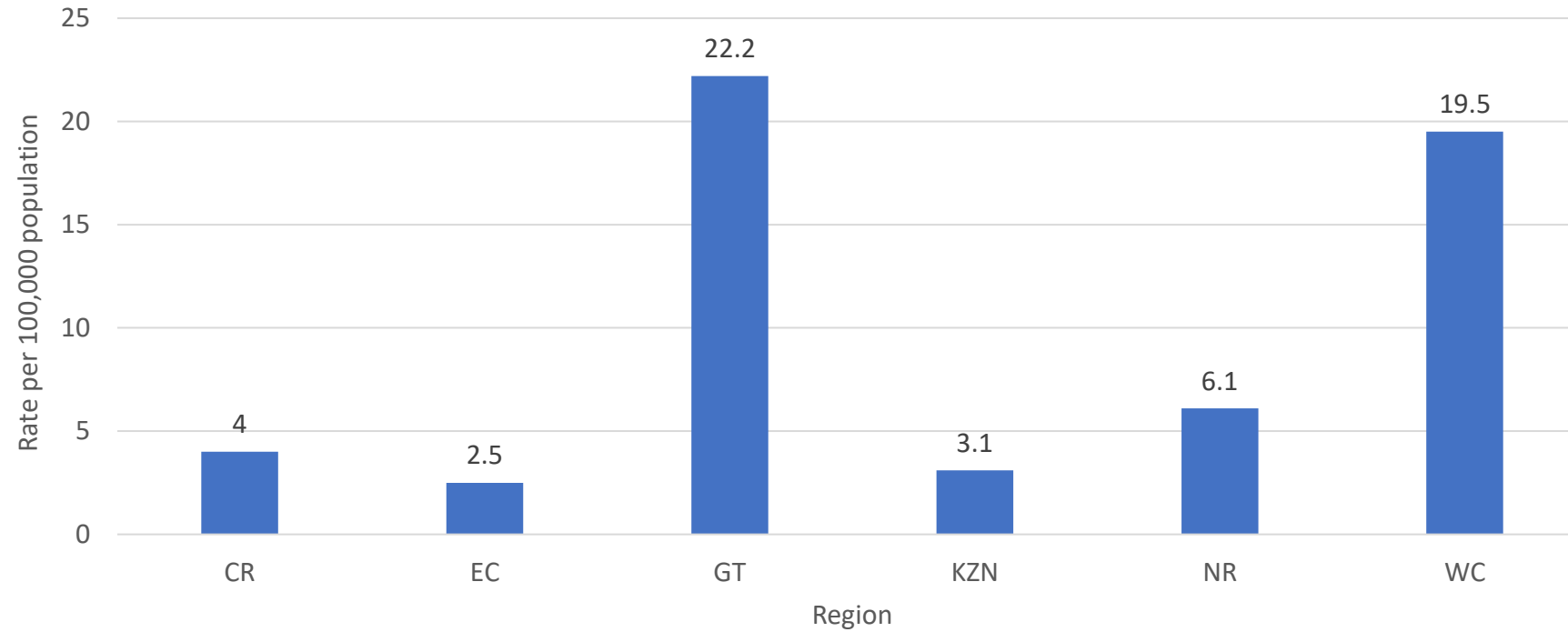
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POPULATION-ADJUSTED ESTIMATES



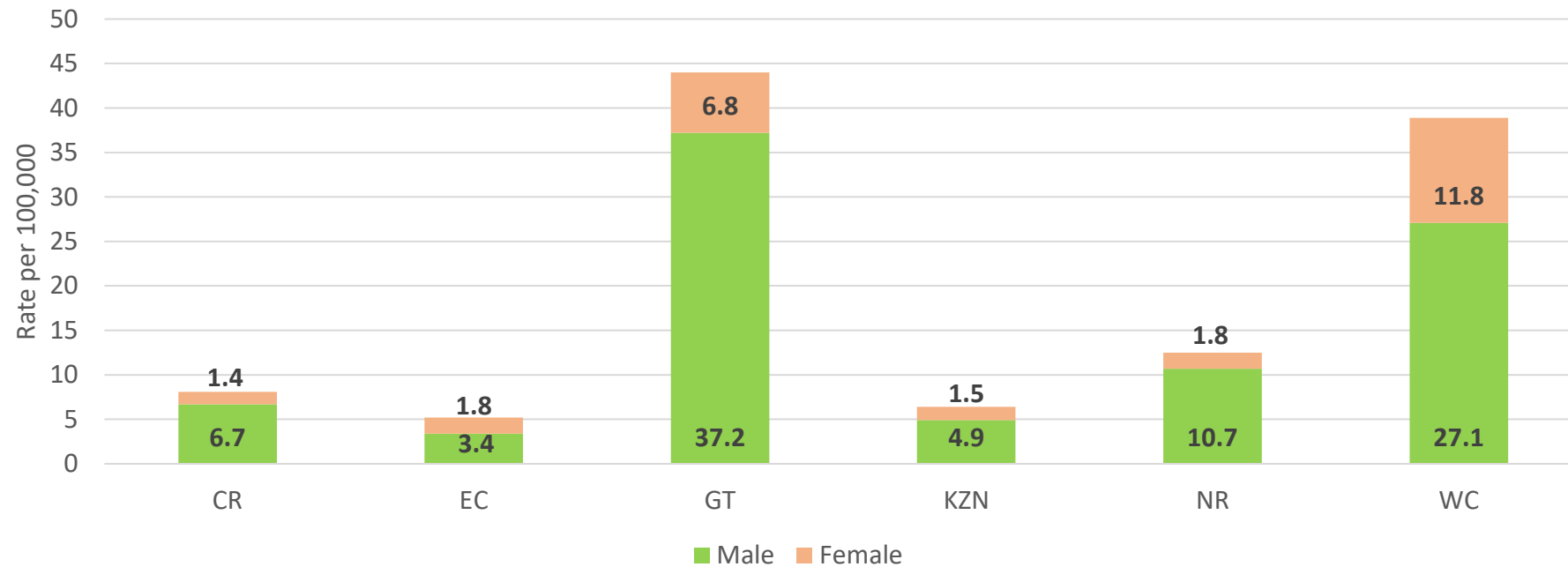


Age and Sex-adjusted rate per 100,000
All Admissions





Age-adjusted rate per 100,000
Gender





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SUBSTANCES OF USE



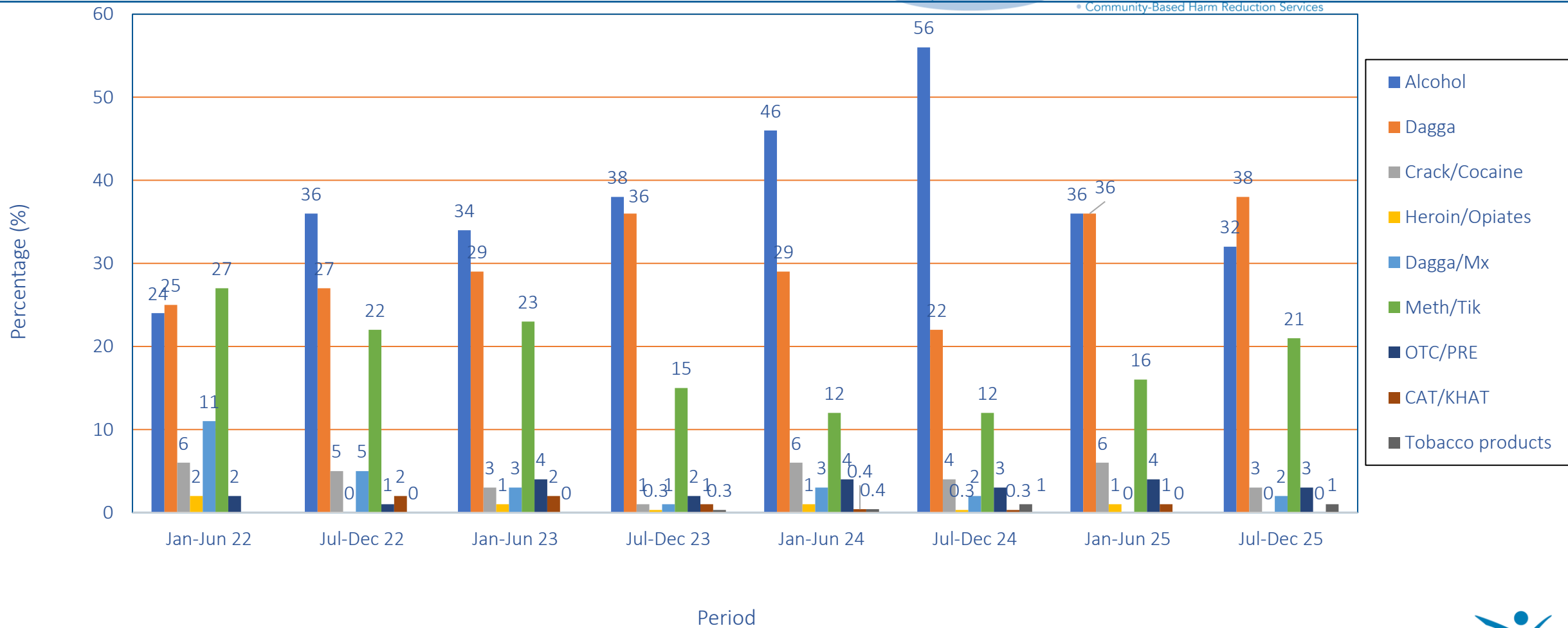
PRIMARY SUBSTANCE OF USE



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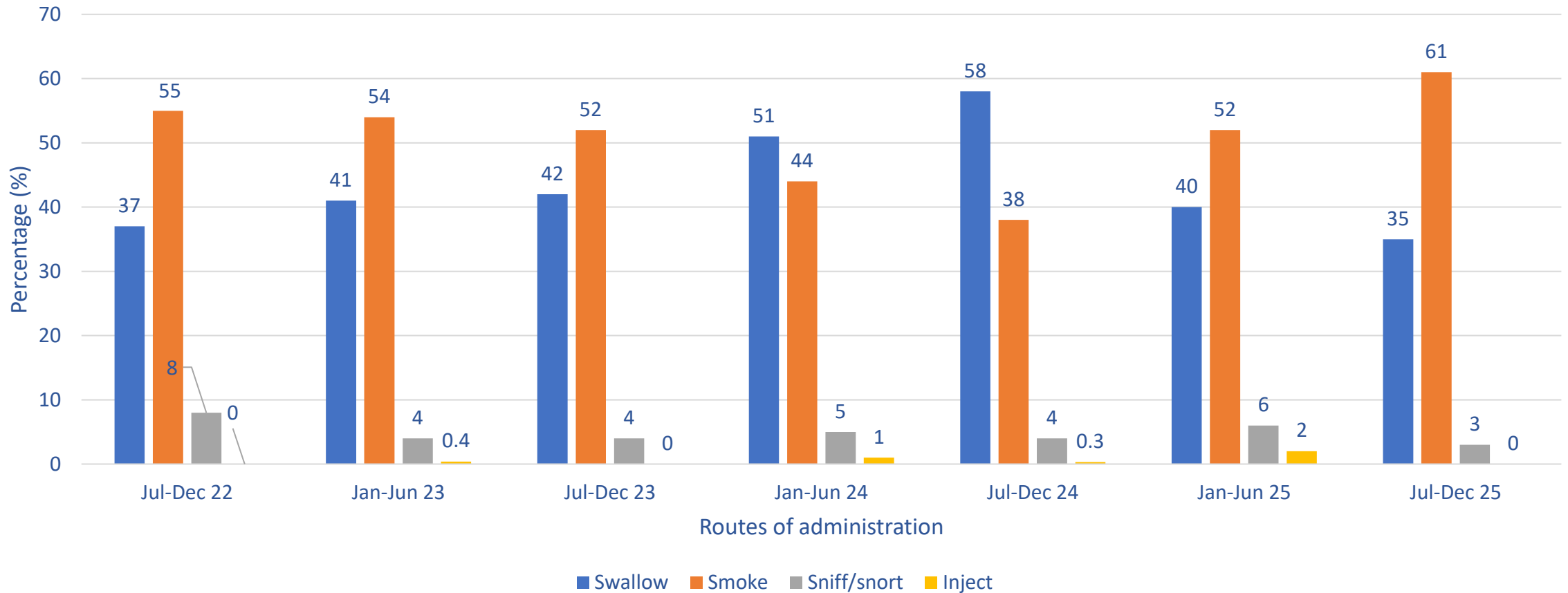
ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION



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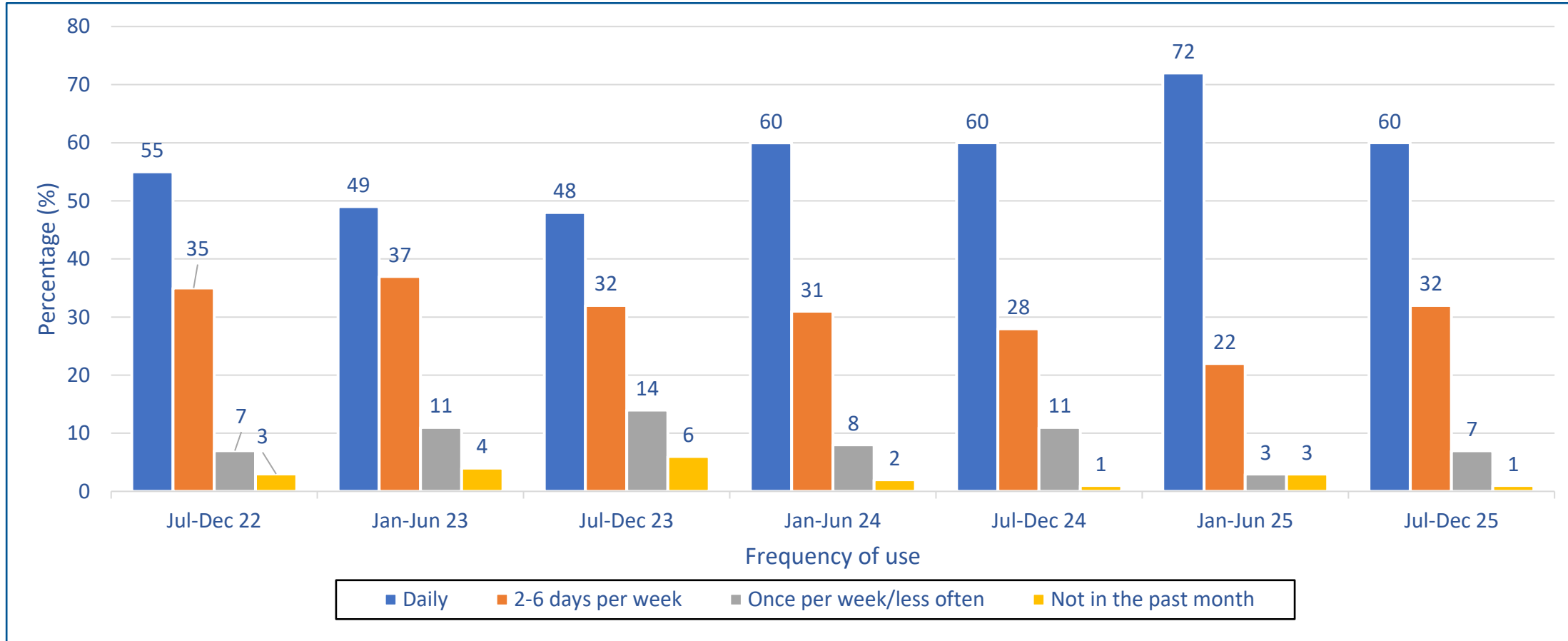
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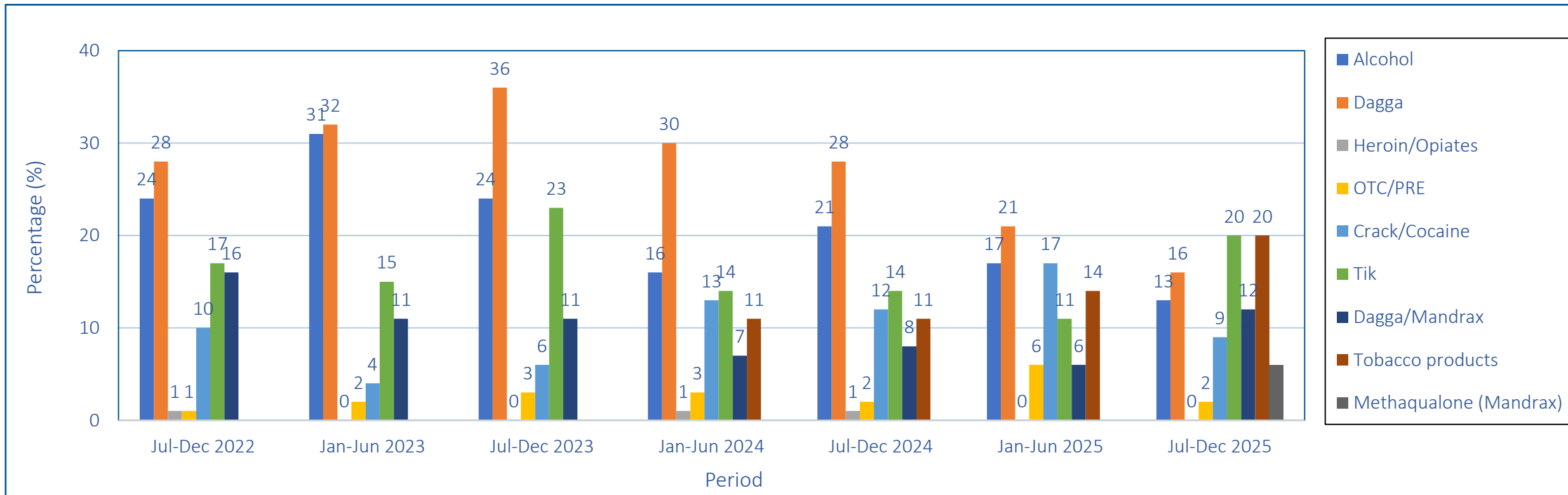
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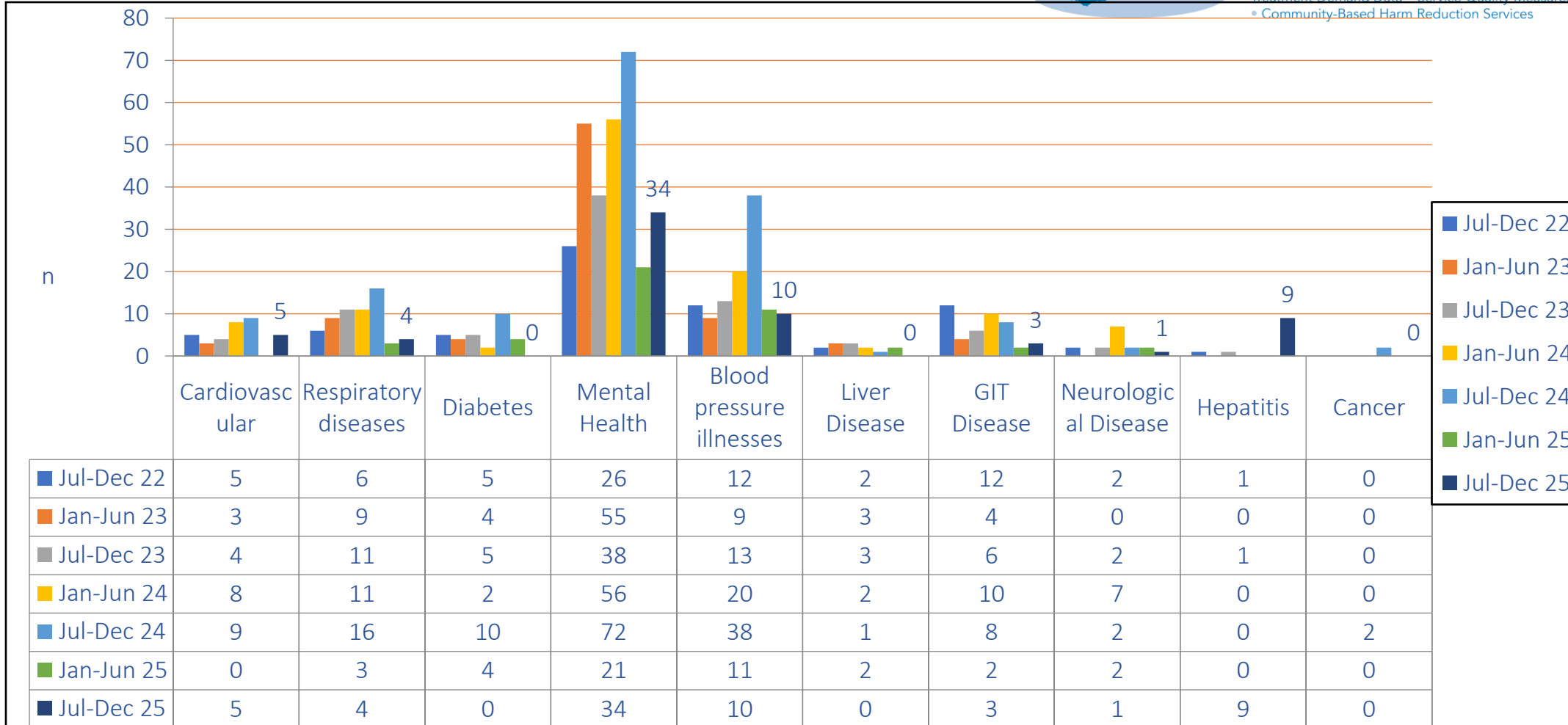
EC SECONDARY SUBSTANCE OF USE



EC SERVICE USERS REPORTING NCDS UPON ADMISSION (n = 58, 30%)



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Last seen Doctor	%
Less than 2 years ago	75
2-5 years ago	15
More than 5 years ago	9

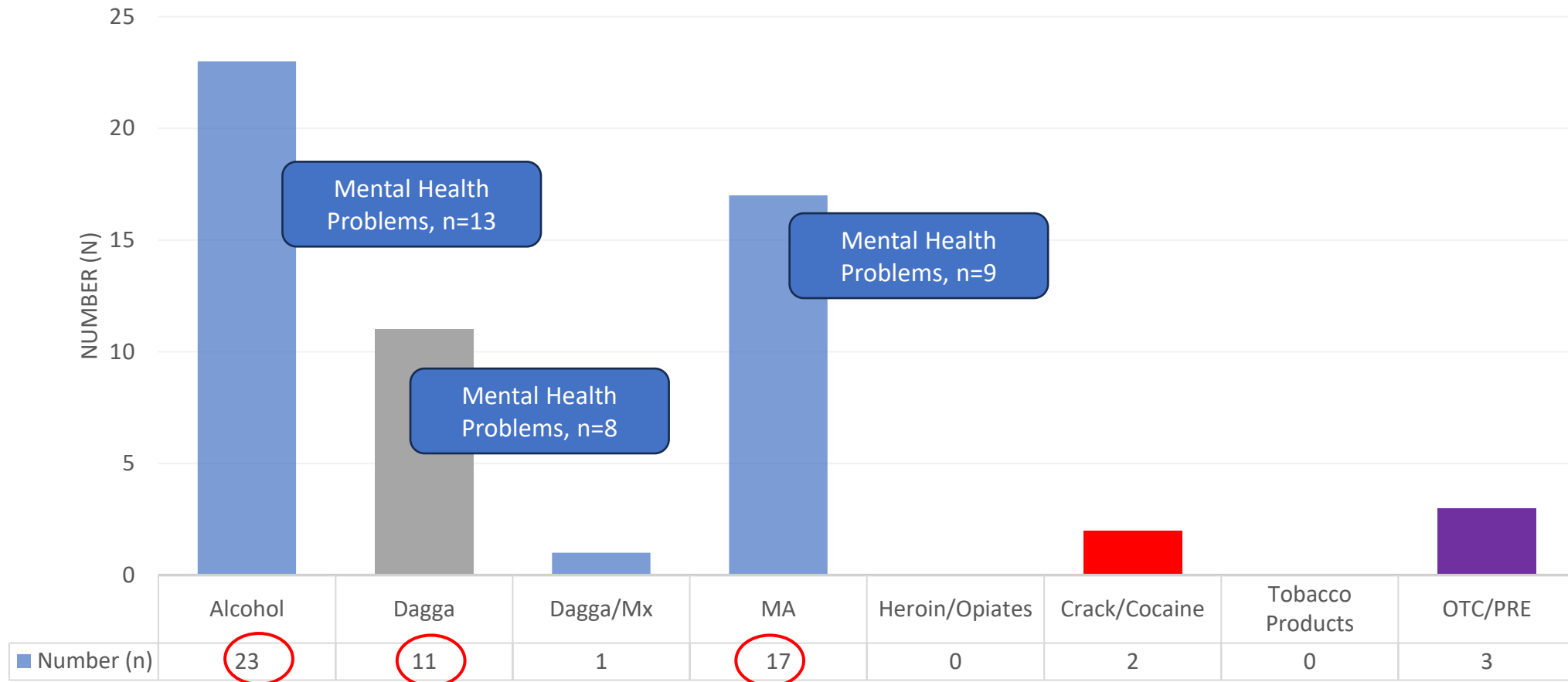
NCD BY SELECTED PRIMARY SUBSTANCE



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EASTERN CAPE SUMMARY



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- Lower numbers reported in this period.
- Most used primary substances: Alcohol, Dagga, MA (increases in MA)
- Most used secondary substances: MA , Tobacco products and dagga





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